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Dear Sir:

On July 8, 2004 we sent by courier the documentation required to enter the National Phase of PCT/ES03/00008 in the USA. On that day, we did not include a translation into English Language of said PCT's application.

In this respect, attached please find said English Language Translation. If this letter does not reach the USPTO on or before July 15th, 2004 (deadline for filing said translation) you are hereby expressly authorized to charge any additional amount from the credit card that we included in our July 8, 2004 letter (see Form PTO-2038 enclosed with July 8, 2004 letter).

Since all the applicants are Spanish Citizens that live in Spain, we are not able to transmit a return postcard. Therefore, I would be very gratefull if an acknowledgement of receipt of above document is sent by fax (+34 915102736) to us with enough time to correct any defficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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